

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND
Legislative Session 2026, Legislative Day No. 17

Bill No. 91-26

Mr. Michael Ertel, Chair
By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, September 22, 2026

A BILL
ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

County Executive – Compensation

FOR the purpose of increasing the compensation of the County Executive for the term of office that begins December 2026; and generally relating to the compensation of the County Executive.

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments

Section 3-1-102(a)
Article 3 – Administration
Title 1 – The Executive Branch
Subtitle 1 – In General
Baltimore County Code, 2015

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from bill.
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

WHEREAS, on December 11, 2026, the Personnel and Salary Advisory Board made a recommendation regarding the compensation to be paid to the County Executive; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the Laws of Baltimore County shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 3 – ADMINISTRATION

Title 1 – The Executive Branch

Subtitle 1 – In General

§ 3-1-102. Same – salary.

(a) Beginning on the date in December [2022] 2026 that the County Executive qualifies as provided in § 402(a) of the Charter, the annual salary of the County Executive shall be [\$192,000.] \$240,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act, having been passed by the affirmative vote of five members of the County Council, shall take effect on November 1, 2026.